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Romeo Capodiferro ) Before the Examiner  
Application No. 10/603,068 ) Arnold Castro  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004 for which a two-month extension of time to respond has been requested, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified patent application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any extensions of time or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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